

CHAPTER NO. 659

HOUSE BILL NO. 3247

By Representative Harry Brooks

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 3548

By Senator Burchett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 38, Chapter 8, Part 2, relative to the law enforcement training academy and the training conducted by such academy.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 38-8-201, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(c) The academy shall also have the authority to provide specialized training to other government or private sector employees whose work impacts public safety, such as court officials, emergency services personnel, process servers, hospital personnel and employees of the criminal justice system. It is the intent of the general assembly that any such training be provided at no additional costs to the state. The director of the academy shall have full discretion in scheduling any additional training sessions offered by the academy, provided, that the training of state or local governmental law enforcement employees be given priority over private employee training.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2006, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 24, 2006



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APPROVED this 12th day of May 2006



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